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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> |  | Docket No. (Optional)<br>J2167.0125/P125 |  |
| In re Application of     Andrea Concannon, et al.           |  |  |  |
| Application Number<br>09/438,590                            |  | Filed<br>November 12, 1999               |  |
| For:     BULK FILE SYSTEM USING EDI                         |  |  |  |
| Art Unit             2164                                   |  | Examiner             J. Pwu              |  |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | <b>RECEIVED</b>   | \$ 110.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))           | SEP 05 2003       | \$        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))         | <b>GROUP 3600</b> | \$        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))          |                   | \$        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))          |                   | \$        |

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2215.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.
- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- ☐ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 34,425

August 28, 2003  
Date

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Signature

Michael J. Scheer  
Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below

☐ Total of 1 forms are submitted.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV 059554659US, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

Dated: August 28, 2003 Signature: Michael J. Scheer (Michael J. Scheer)

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